

FROM THE SPRINGS.

Our New Summer Resorts Have Taken the Place of the Old.

A CAMBRIDGEBORO LETTER

By an Enthusiastic Wheeling Citizen.
The Delights of our Nearby Health Resort—Wheeling and Youngstown People Assimilate—Some of the Charms Presented—The Northern Resorts Conquer the Old Time Southern Springs When Cotton was King.

The following entertaining letter from a well-known Wheeling citizen at Cambridge Springs, Pa., has a special local interest and will be read with no small degree of pleasure by Wheelingites who are looking for relief and health in the hot season:

If every generation must have its war, so must every generation have its watering place. Half a century or less ago, Saratoga was the great summer resort for all fashionable folks, and the immense caravansaries of that delightful place were filled with the wealth and culture of the continent. The rich planters of the sunny south brought their families and attendant slaves to dandle the multitude, and excite the envy of their less fortunate brothers from the plodding north, or the "wild and woolly west."

In those days King Cotton with a lavish hand poured wealth into the lap of all his worshippers, and the fair daughters of the southland, bedecked with gowns and jewels, were the bright particular stars at the fashionable resorts of the period. But the giant north was only sleeping, and when the white-haired monarch of the south sounded a bugle blast of war, a conflict ensued that startled and awed the civilized world, which with bated breath watched the fierce encounter, and witnessed the defeat and death of the reigning king.

When the scepter fell from the vanquished hand of the ancient sovereign, young King Corn, with a numerous progeny of ambitious princes, known as Prince Coal, Prince Steel, Prince Copper, Prince Commerce, and numerous other sons of the new dispensation, seized the reins of power, and the representatives of these new royalties are now enjoying the luxury and leisure formerly monopolized by old King Cotton. Thus, with the increase and more extended distribution of wealth, comes a multiplication of the facilities for its enjoyment.

Saratoga no longer shines in solitary splendor, and attracts the devotees of fashion, but Newport and Narragansett, Long Branch and Atlantic City, with many other notable resorts on lake and mountain or in forest shades, have put forth their claims, and there is not in all the wide world to-day a country so blessed with health and pleasure resorts, as this broad land of ours.

Austria boasts of her Carlsbad, Germany of her Baden-Baden, and France and Spain and Italy and ever sturdy old England, all have springs of healing water, but if Ponce-de-Leon failed to find the Fountain of Eternal Youth, he might, had he extended his journey further north and west, have discovered places where nature's gifts were bestowed as bountifully in the New World, as in the Old.

The Hot Springs of Arkansas and Colorado, the Sulphur Springs of the Virginias, and the chalybeate and magnesia springs of Pennsylvania, are unexcelled in the medicinal properties of their water. Particularly is this true of the waters here at Cambridgeboro. Not only are the waters of these springs efficacious in the restoration of health and the cure of chronic maladies, but they are equally effectual in the preservation of health. No person can feel so well, that a brief visit will not make them feel better.

I fully concur with Mr. O. C. Dewey, that Wheeling people are fortunate in having convenient access to such a perfect health resort as is afforded by the Cambridge Springs. The Hotel Rider is now well filled with guests, and invalidism is not observable among them. All have the glow of health, and the spacious corridors and wide verandas present a pleasing picture of well-dressed ladies and gentlemen who seem to be rejoicing in their temporary escape from the heat and discomforts of summer life in the city.

Wheeling and Youngstown, Ohio, appear to have numerous representatives sojourning here, and whether it is caused by a similarity and reciprocity of industrial interests, or results from the operation of a principle of natural attraction, the people of these places seem to fraternize and take to each other as lovingly as a band of brothers. Among the Wheeling people now here are Mr. and Mrs. Hultihen Quarrier, Miss Kate Hazlett, Miss Flora Wilson, Miss Jennie Bailey, Prof. John M. Birch, Major T. H. Norton, and others. Miss Jennie Bailey and Prof. John M. Birch returned home yesterday. A Youngstown delegation, many of whom have friends and acquaintances in Wheeling, is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bentley, Mrs. E. G. Miller, Miss Edith Kauffman, a petite and graceful blonde, whose scintillating wit and

sparkling repartee have made her the admired of all admirers, while Mrs. Clarke, of Rochester, the composer of the new and beautiful music of the Lexington two-step waltz, has added new laurels to her musical reputation.

Altogether, the guests now here are a congenial, if not a convivial set, who take their salt-water, decorously, and who read and chat and dance away the pleasant hours, and only remember in the solitude of their chambers that in the far-off Philippines gallant American soldiers are advancing the standard of American civilization, and pray that those mysterious isles of an oriental sea may soon submit to the "benevolent assimilation" our executive has ordained for them, and yield obedience to the will of the great republic.

Yours truly,
"OCCASIONAL."

THE BOYCOTT.

Cleveland now Undergoing an Experience that Wheeling has Just Been Relieved of.

Cleveland Leader: "One of the best known and most respected citizens of Cleveland, who lives in a section of the city where he has every opportunity to witness the workings of the boycott instituted by the street railway strikers, told a reporter Saturday of what he had seen near where he resides during the last few days.

"The striking ex-employees of the street railway company," he said, "make the modest request of the long suffering public that it shall, for the sake of the strikers, desist from riding upon the street cars, and as the fear of being struck with a brick or blown up with nitro-glycerine might not deter it, they are now using their strongest weapon, the boycott. They have their spies, who are always on the lookout, who take the names of people who dare to ride—men, women, and children, and then, as a punishment to them and warning to others, they are boycotted.

"Men and women, having business down town and having their homes in a section of the city that they cannot reach by train, and being obliged either to go by the uncomfortable, crowded, back-breaking busses, which are in many cases old huckster wagons cleaned and furnished with seats and a canvas cover, and driven at a slow, jogging gait through the hot sun and dust, or to take the open, rosy, swiftly moving street car. If they dare to take the car their names are given to the unions of all kinds, and if it is a man in business for himself he is practically ruined. If it is the wife or son or daughter of a business man it is the same thing. He sends to the butcher, with whom he has dealt for years, to the grocer, to the baker, to the coal dealer, the druggist, for meat, for provisions, for coal, for medicines, to be refused by them all. He goes to the barber to be shaved. The barber tells him he can do no more shaving or hair cutting for him. He has been a steady customer to these tradesmen for years, paying all his bills promptly. That makes no difference. The strikers' union has ordered them, one and all, to have no more dealings with him. Nor is this all that he must endure. His children are booted at and called vile names by the street Arabs in the vicinity, and his front yard is nightly decorated with painted boards bearing the inscription 'Scabs live here,' or 'We ride on scab cars,' and every available tin can, broken bottle, old pail, and decayed vegetable in the neighborhood he will find upon his lawn or front steps in the morning.

"He had been proudly imagining for years that he was a free born American citizen, and if he wished to ride upon a street car he might do so, providing he paid his fare and behaved like a gentleman.

"The street car ex-employees complain that they suffered oppression at the hands of the officials of the company, but they in turn now oppress thousands and thousands of innocent people. The citizens of Cleveland would very gladly use the street cars, but do not dare, for there is the skull-crushing brick-bat, the death-dealing nitro-glycerine, and the merciless boycott to prevent. And this is the land of the free and the home of the brave. Let us not make that boast again; it is too ridiculous.

"Another aspect of the situation is entirely ignored by the strikers in their calculations at all, and that is the drain that is made upon the purses of a great multitude that can ill afford it.

"The cash girls and boys, the girls who clerk in stores and work in business houses and factories of all sorts; the women who clean offices and store rooms, in many cases it takes half the time they are obliged to rise early in the morning, are later in getting home in the evening, and many a delicate girl, tired with the long, hot day at the store or factory, finds herself desperately fatigued with the long ride in the uncomfortable bus or the tire-some walk she must take to reach her home.

"I know one case of an honest, hard-working woman, a widow with six children. She had had a lull time to feed and clothe them. Two of the boys are now old enough to help her. It costs her sixty cents a day to send them to their work, a sum that would almost provide for the family, and that would, at any rate, more than pay the house rent. She washes and irons every day in the week, and feels it cruelly hard that they can not use the street cars, and anxiously wonders how she is to pay for the winter's coal, and the clothing that is needed for the children, with this constant drain upon her scanty earnings. These men who claim to have suffered from the oppression of their employers, have certainly not learned compassion for others.

"A neatly-dressed, modest-looking woman went into a drug store one evening this week and asked for some medicine. Before the druggist could fill her order, several women—wives of strikers—came hurrying in and ordered the druggist not to give anything to that woman. She is, they said, in no gentle way, the wife of one of those dirty, low, mean, sneaking scabs, and if you sell her anything, we will attend to it that your business is ruined for you. The poor, coward druggist could only say to the woman, 'I am very sorry,

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Mr. John Edgerton, 1020 Third Ave., Altoona, Pa., says: "I suffered from dysentery for three years. I took Pe-ru-na and am now well."

but you see I cannot sell you the medicine."

"Yes, I understand," she said. "I had hoped to get it. I need it very much." And then she went quietly and sadly out of the store, leaving her heartless persecutors to follow, fearing at her as they went. The druggist evidently writhed under the pressure put upon him, but was obliged to submit.

"The strikers certainly wield a powerful weapon when they threaten with the boycott. It is held over our heads like a club, and we become tamely submissive. But is the Spirit of '76 no longer alive in us? Are we completely subdued? Verily, one of the foremost clergymen in the city spoke truly when he said 'there may be a tyranny of labor unions as well as a tyranny of capital.' Even so, and the tyranny of the labor union is the worse of the two by far, for while a tyranny of capital might make it impossible for us to purchase many desirable things, a tyranny of labor unions would prevent us from buying even a loaf of bread if we had the money."

BIG PAPER COMPANY.

West Virginia Concern Absorbs Other Establishments.

Paper, (N. Y.): The West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company of Delaware, which was recently incorporated with a capital stock of \$3,000,000, has bought the stock of the Morrison & Cass Paper Company, of Tyrone, Pa., and of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, of West Virginia, and after December 1 next will operate the plants now owned by these companies. After January 1 this newly organized concern will have a daily output of 170 tons of sulphite and soda pulp and 120 tons of paper, and so will be the largest manufacturer of book paper in the world.

The officers of the new company are: President, William Luke, vice president, Joseph K. Cass; treasurer, John G. Luke, and secretary, David L. Luke. The company recently purchased 100,000 acres of fine spruce lands in West Virginia, the wood from which can be taken to the new mill at Covington, Va., or to the plants now running at Davis or Piedmont, W. Va. In addition to this the company has purchased all the pulp wood on about 100,000 acres more, adjacent to the property it has bought outright.

The West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company is now building a 50-ton sulphite plant and a two-machine paper mill, to make high grade sulphite and book paper, and it is the intention to increase this plant by the addition of four more paper machines and a fifty-ton soda plant. This new mill will be built of brick and steel and in all respects will be fully equipped and the best that can be built.

New Charters Issued.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer. CHARLESTON, W. Va., July 31.—A charter has been issued by the secretary of state to the Hicks & Hoge Dry Goods Company, of Wheeling, with a subscribed capital of \$25,000, all paid up; and an authorized capital of \$200,000. The incorporators are W. B. Hicks, George Hook, R. L. Coen, W. L. Smith, and George D. Maxwell, all of Wheeling.

A charter was also issued to the Cairo and Volcano Gas Company, of Cairo, Ritchie county, with a subscribed capital of \$50,000, of which ten per cent has been paid up; authorized, \$75,000. The incorporators are Henry M. Wilson, of Franklin, Pa., and others.

Representative Booth's Condition.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer. WOODFIELD, O., July 31.—Hon. W. H. Booth, of Graysville, representative from Monroe county, came here Friday on business, and in the evening when he was about a half mile out from town on his way home, his horse ran off, throwing him from the buggy head foremost, injuring him very seriously, if not fatally. He was brought back here to the home of his brother-in-law, ex-county treasurer, J. W. Okey, where he lies in a stupor and unconscious, except at intervals, when he recognizes his attendants. The doctors have some hope of his recovery.

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CONGRESSIONAL FIGHT

Over the River Growing Warm—Candidate Buttons Make Their Appearance—Judge Mansfield's "Broad-side."

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer. STEUBENVILLE, O., July 31.—This county is now the storm center of political activity, the end to be attained is the scooping in of the delegation from this county to the coming congressional convention.

For the first time in the history of the district buttons have been issued by a candidate and Gill buttons by the thousands have been distributed. The man who did not wear a button on Saturday, when Buffalo Bill was here, was the exception.

All of the candidates are at work and until the past week the appearances were that the delegation would be split up between the candidates. There has been a general wish that the candidates would arrange matters so as to give one candidate all the delegates in the convention on the theory that a solid front was the one thing necessary to success. To this end J. J. Gill sent friends to the other candidates with a proposition that whoever gets most of the delegates should take all of them. Messrs. Mansfield and Erskine have practically refused the proposition. Their failure to accept has caused a general shift to Gill, who is conceded to be the strongest man and the chances are that he will have all the delegates at the primaries.

One feature of the campaign has been the pouring of a broadside into what he terms the "ring," in a signed letter Judge Mansfield had in a local paper.

The very latest sensation in political circles grows out of an action taken by the Republican county committee, which may shut Judge J. A. Mansfield, one of the candidates, out of the race altogether. The committee is friendly to Gill and they passed a resolution requiring any who are candidates to whack up back assessments before their name goes on the ticket. Judge Mansfield has been holding the office of common pleas judge, and he has failed to pay committee assessments for two years, hence this action putting the clamps on him at a time when he is a real candidate. Under the rule of the committee office holders are assessed the years they are not on the ticket as well as when they are on.

Editor S. G. Peppard, of Selo, is an out and out candidate. His father was a law partner of Edwin M. Stanton. Peppard gives out that the venerable Hon. John A. Bingham, of Cadiz, who was in Congress from this district seventeen years and who was United States minister to Japan, will present his name to the convention.

MAUNA LOA'S ERUPTION.

Lava Which Has Been Flowing Towards Hilo Has Been Diverted.

HONOLULU, July 31.—The latest report from the volcano of Mauna Loa received today by the way of Kalaheals to the effect that a great change took place in the course of the lava flow on the night of July 18. The mighty stream of burning lava which was steadily flowing toward the town of Hilo and threatening its destruction, has fortunately been diverted in its course so that the danger to life and property is less imminent than at the time of the previous mail advices from here.

Ever since the flow began, July 4, the course of the principal stream of lava has been from the highest active cones down the mountain nearly due east, past all the sources of lava, until it reached and partly crossed the flow of 1889. Then it turned abruptly to the north in the direction of Kalaheals, on the side of Mauna Loa. It spread all over the side of the mountain, occupying an area almost a mile wide. This was the condition of things up to the night of July 18. Some time during that night the first part of the stream, flowing eastward, broke through its bank about half way from its source to where it turned northward and formed a new channel running northeast down the mountain parallel with the channel but further west. This is carrying the lava less directly towards Hilo and keeping it nearer the ridge which divides it from the slope off in the direction of the Kohala coast.

Honolulu's National Bank.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—The First and only National Bank outside of the continental boundaries of the United States is about to be established in Honolulu. Colonel McFarland, who was chamberlain to Queen Liliuokalani has arrived from the islands to perfect the organization of the bank and later to return with gold coin representing the stock subscribed for by San Francisco and New York capitalists. A charter for the bank has already been procured from the United States government by Perry S. Heath, assistant postmaster general, but it cannot be used until Congress places the Hawaiian islands under the territorial laws of this country. In the meantime the new financial institution will be known as the First American Bank, a charter for which has just been granted by the Hawaiian government. The corporation is capitalized at \$1,000,000 and one-half of that amount will be in the vaults as required by the banking laws of the island when the bank opens its doors on September 1.

Julian Has Been Elevated.

LONDON, July 31.—It was officially announced to-day that Sir Julian Pauncefoot, British ambassador to the United States who was head of the British delegation to the international peace conference at The Hague, has been elevated to the peerage.

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